

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2001**, upon the application of **EL PASO PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir A**, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Montague 22 No. 1 Well as a substitute unit well for U HOSS RA SU1 at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 692, effective April 1, 1965.
2. To find that the proposed substitute unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, underlying U HOSS RA SU1 which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by any existing well on such unit.
3. To designate applicant as operator of U HOSS RA SU1.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 692, effective April 1, 1965.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La
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WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.